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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: S. Willatt
BRIAN C. JONES, ET AL.)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 3732
Appln. No.: Unassigned (Divisional of)	
Appln. No. 09/965,829 filed	:	
October 1, 2001))	
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Filed: September 16, 2003)	
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For: BREWED ICED TEA OR NON-)	
CARBONATED DRINK DISPENSER	:	September 16, 2003

Commissioner for Patents
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98, the attention of the Examiner is hereby directed to the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. Each of the documents has been cited in parent Application No. 09/965,829. In accordance with 37 CFR 1.98(d), copies of the cited documents are not being provided herewith.

US '351, US '334, US '107, US '939, US '249, US '048, US '809, US '313, US '118, US '676, US '871, US '932, US '714, US '925, US '119, US '123, US '311, US '508, US '540, US '349, US '649, Des. US '057, US '678, US '591, US '067, US

'365, US '298, Des. US '358, Des. US '000, Des. US '362, Des. US '821 and US '829 were cited in an Information Disclosure Statement filed March 1, 2002, in the parent application.

US '999, US '809, US '703, US '247, US '063, US '555, US '973, US '461 and US '268 were cited by the Examiner in an Office Action dated May 8, 2002, in the parent application.

US '405 was cited in a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed July 12, 2002, in the parent application.

US '791 was cited by the Examiner in an Office Action dated September 4, 2002, in the parent application.

US '663 and US '712 were cited in a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed November 4, 2002, in the parent application.


US '028, US '603, US '924, US '327 and US '966 were cited by the Examiner in an Office Action dated January 31, 2003, in the parent application.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Favorable consideration hereof is earnestly solicited.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,



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